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KINDLY DECLINES UNCLE SAM'S OFFER

England Does Not Want
any Mediation in
South Africa.

VERY POSITIVE TERMS

Great Britain Desires All Na-
tions to Keep Hands Off
in Boer Affair.

It Is Said That the U. S. State
Department Has Volunteered the Sug-
gestion That This Country Would
Act as Mediator Should Such Ser-
vice Be Requested by England—
Boer Overtures Discussed in Wash-
ington.

London, March 14—[Special Cable-
gram]—It is reported that the American
and German embassies here are in com-
munication regarding a joint proposal
of mediation by the United States and
Germany in the Boer war. The report
cannot be confirmed.

Pretoria, March 14—[Special Cable-
gram]—President Kruger has received
from President McKinley a cablegram
saying that the appeal of the Boer re-
publics for peace was promptly trans-
mitted to England with the earnest
recommendation that it be accepted.

Secretary of State Leitz in discussing
Salisbury's answer said it was likely to
produce results of a most serious char-
acter.

Washington, March 14—[Special Tele-
gram]—Great Britain has declined
the kindly offices of the United States
to mediate in the South African trou-
ble.

LORD SALISBURY.
A dispatch was received this morn-
ing from the American chargé d'affaires
at London giving in positive terms ex-
pression that Great Britain desired all
nations to keep their hands off the Boer
affair.

It was diplomatically worded, thank-
ing the United States for its kindly offer
but positively declining it.

Up to this morning, it is stated by
state department officials, this govern-
ment was simply acting as a messenger
in transmitting the notes of Kruger and
Steyn to the British government.

Today they admit the state depart-
ment went further and volunteered the
suggestion that this country would will-
ingly act as mediator should such a ser-
vice be requested by England.

Czar Promised Victoria

Berlin March 14—[Special Cable-
gram]—The Kreuz Zeitung claims to
have authentic information that before
the commencement of the Boer war the
Czar promised Victoria not under any
circumstances to take advantage of
England's difficulties. The Czar's at-
titude, alleges the paper, has influenced
the other powers to leave England alone.

Salisbury's Firm Reply

London, March 14—As the Boer over-
tures had already been answered to the
effect that no proposition including the
republic's independence could be con-
sidered, the presentation of the Ameri-
can offer was already too late, but the
prime minister, apparently, deemed it a matter
of sufficient importance to put himself
on record with a firm reply.

London Press Comment

The Times, commenting editorially upon the reply of Lord Salisbury, says:

"The government has given the only conceivable reply to the extraordinary Kruger-Steyn telegram, a reply which will be hailed with profound satisfaction throughout the empire. We are sincerely glad to see the attitude the United States has assumed in transmitting the proposals. Washington's services, of course, have been declined, but declined, we need hardly say, in the same cordial and friendly spirit in which they were offered. The news that Gen. French commands Bloemfontein is an instructive comment on the preposterous character of the Boer pretensions."

The Standard says: "It is hard to

treat with any seriousness an appeal which ignores the palpable realities of the situation. So far as it is meant for diplomatic use abroad the appeal is a sheer waste of labor. Knowing our views the diplomats of both hemispheres will respect them."

BOER OVERTURES DISCUSSED.
Cabinet at Washington Considers Re-
quests from South Africa.

Washington, March 14.—The cabinet Tuesday afternoon discussed the overtures of the Boer republics for peace transmitted to London through American diplomatic channels. Members of the cabinet are reticent regarding the discussion, but say that the position of this government has not changed from strict neutrality. The message sent to London by Secretary Hay was a purely formal diplomatic communication, inclosing the request of the Boers for British terms, and expressing the willingness of this government to use its good office to restore peace. In declining the good office of the United States the British cabinet created no surprise in Washington. Although the Boers have requested the president to act as mediator, he cannot do so without the readiness of Great Britain to accept such mediation, and the situation is not changed.

CORBETT'S TRIAL IS NEAR AN END

Favorable Efforts to Prove An Alibi—
Jury Will Acquit Or Dis-
agree.

Racine, Wis., March 14—The trial of Henry F. Dakin, alias Corbett, who is accused of having attempted to kill Rev. and Mrs. D. B. Cheney at their home in this city on December 5, is almost at an end, both the state and the defense having finished giving testimony, and arguments will be made today.

While both Rev. and Mrs. Cheney have positively identified the prisoner as their assailant and Mrs. John Armstrong identifies the accused as being the man whom she met running from the house other residents of this city have testified that the accused was a half mile from the Cheney home at the time the shooting is supposed to have taken place.

It is believed that the jury will either disagree or the prisoner will be acquitted.

TRUCE IN KENTUCKY'S HOT POLITICAL WAR

Taylor Will Continue to Act as Governor
Until Courts Decide on
the Case.

Frankfort, Ky., March 14—With the sicc die adjournment of the legislature yesterday afternoon came a truce in the Kentucky political war. An agreement has been reached whereby Taylor will continue to act as governor and Beckham will make no move toward securing possession of the state buildings pending a decision by the court of appeals, the highest tribunal in the state on the disputed governorship.

One cloud is on the horizon however, and that is as to what the situation will be if the court decides in favor of Beckham, the democrat. Taylor is silent regarding his intentions but his friends say that he will hold to the office until the supreme court of the United States rules against him.

The democrats will expect the office should the court of appeals decide Beckham the governor, and the fund of \$100,000 voted by the legislature in its final hours for the reorganization of the militia under the command of Governor Beckham will be put to use to oust Taylor.

According to the democratic leaders, if the court of appeals upholds Beckham they will take possession of the state buildings "peaceably if possible but forcibly if necessary."

SENSATIONS IN THE COEUR D'ALENE CASE

Sulzer Asks For Information Regarding
Fortifications England Is Said
to Be Building.

Washington, March 14—[Special Tele-
gram]—Today's session of the Coeur d'Alene investigation committee developed several sensations.

Congressman Sulzer during the executive session called up his resolution asking for information regarding the fortifications England is said to be building along the northern frontier of the United States. The committee postponed action on the resolution whereupon Sulzer declared that the "Committee was run by Great Britain and the Standard Oil Trust."

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A New Siege Train.

A siege train is being specially constructed for the purpose of assisting troops in their attack on Pretoria. It is to be armed with sixteen new six-inch howitzers, each one capable of throwing a fifty-pound lyddite shell.

REPUBLICAN VOTES MAY DEFEAT BILL

G. O. P. Senators Take a Stand Against Tariff for Porto Rico.

CAUCUS IS FRUITLESS

Probable No Agreement Can Be Reached at the Caucus This Afternoon.

Dopey Made One of the Most Earnest Speeches of His Life Leading for Harmony—Democrats Trying to Out-Maneuver the Republicans—Appeals To Stand Together—Dare Not Let the Bill Go to the House Again.

Washington, March 14—There is still a chance that free trade for Porto Rico may prevail in the senate. The Republican senators were in caucus for three hours yesterday afternoon, and instead of reaching an agreement upon the amended and modified Foraker bill, as had been expected, the caucus was forced to adjourn without an agreement and with every prospect that none could be obtained.

The free trade contingent was found to be much stronger than had been counted upon, and it is a serious question with the managers of the senate today if they can muster enough strength to save the 15 per cent tariff clause from defeat.

Free Trade Republicans

There are ten Republican senators who openly favor free trade, and if all these could be induced to stick till a vote is taken the tariff would be defeated by a majority of four votes, as it is said there is not single Democrat, Populist or silver senator who will vote for anything but free trade.

Another caucus is to be held this afternoon, when further efforts will be made to whip the free trade advocates into line. Conservative senators express the opinion today that the caucus will not result in an agreement, and that the fight will have to be carried into the senate itself.

Floods of Argument.

The first thing the caucus did yesterday afternoon was to secure an understanding that no man's vote was to be bound by any action that might be taken. The next thing was to apply the iron-clad senatorial oath of secrecy as to what was said and done in this conference. Then the floodgates of argument were opened, and for three hours the battle waged between the champions of free trade and the advocates of a tariff.

All minor phases of the question were lost sight of in the heat of the debate. It was a square struggle between the friends of justice to Porto Rico and the men who think it necessary to play politics in order to save the Republican party next fall.

Dopey Appeals For Harmony.

A senator after senator took the floor and declared himself for free trade, the republican managers became alarmed, and Senator Dopey was selected to make the chief speech for those who want harmony with a 15 per cent. tariff. Mr. Dopey made one of the most earnest speeches of his life, and senators say it was a good one. He declared the democracy was trying to outmaneuver the republican party. They were endeavoring to effect a flank movement and get the party of expansion where it could enflame and destroy it. He appealed to the republicans to sink their minor differences and stand together.

A Feature of the Situation.

There was a good deal of this sort of talk. Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island, an acknowledged republican leader, also made an appeal for party harmony. The only suggestion he had to offer in the direction of securing this harmony was that the house bill should be passed precisely as it had come to the senate, without the crossing of a t or the dotting of an i.

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UNEASINESS AT CONSTANTINOPLE

Kaiser Closeted All Day Yesterday with German Ambassador and Kaiser's Aide.

Constantinople, March 14—[Special Cablegram]—The sultan was closeted all day yesterday with the German ambassador, the German military attaché and the kaiser's aide. The object of the conference is unknown, but it has caused great uneasiness at the other embassies.

ROBERTS' SILENCE CREATES CONCERN

Probably He Is Trying to Bag the Boers With in Bloemfontein.

JOUBERT AT GLENCOE

Main Body of the Boer Army is in Position at Biggarsburg.

Rumors That Mateking Had Been Relieved, Are Circulating in London, But They Lack Confirmation—General Cronje and Boer Officers Captured Will Be Taken to Island of St. Helena Tomorrow—All Hopes of Peace Are Gone.

London, March 14—[Special Cablegram]—The war office announces this afternoon that Bloemfontein was taken by the British.

Pretoria, March 14—[Special Cablegram]—Sharp fighting is reported from the Boer camp near Bloemfontein. Yesterday the British attacked the line several times but were always repulsed with fearful loss. From the mountains near Ladysmith comes the report that the British are displaying great activity in moving troops north.

London, March 14—[Special Cablegram]—Up to a late hour this afternoon nothing was received at the war office from Gen. Roberts. Military experts are unable to explain this silence except on the ground that he is attempting to flank the Boers and cut off their communication northward and bag the defending force within Bloemfontein.

The correspondence between Lord Salisbury and the Boer presidents was the chief topic discussed today. Opinion is divided as to whether Salisbury's reply will stiffen or weaken the Boers' resistance.

Large Beer Army at Biggarsburg.

London, March 14—A dispatch dated Ladysmith, Monday, March 12, says:

"The main body of the enemy is in position at Biggarsburg. General Joubert is at Glencoe. There is reason to believe that few Boers are at Dundee, though the place is well fortified."

Hope to Save Mateking.

London, March 14—In the lobbies in the house of commons rumors that Mateking had been relieved were in circulation, but they still lack confirmation.

A number of cablegrams have been received from Mateking today, including one to a Birmingham firm, asking it to ship goods immediately, thus indicating the belief of the speedy relief of the place.

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Cecil Rhodes Is Sick.

Cape Town, March 14—[Special Cablegram]—Cecil Rhodes who was to have sailed for England today is suffering from catarrh of the stomach and has postponed his departure.

Gen. Cronje For St. Helena.

Cape Town, March 14—[Special Cablegram]—Gen. Cronje and all the Boer prisoners taken at Paardeberg will sail tomorrow for St. Helena.

BLOEMFONTEIN IS SURROUNDED.

London, March 14—It is officially reported that Gen. French has occupied two hills commanding Bloemfontein, a fact which is taken to mean that Lord Roberts is practically in possession of the town. The railway to the north and south is said practically to be in the hands of the cavalry, and the formal occupation of the capital of the Orange Free State is believed now to be only a matter of a few hours. Londoners say that when Lord Roberts

hoists the union jack over Bloemfontein it will mean the end of the Orange Free State as such.

Little doubt is entertained, however, except by the ultra-optimistic, that Presidents Kruger and Steyn will use Lord Salisbury's uncompromising reply to fire the Boer heart against the alleged "oppressor" with the result of greatly stiffening the campaign. The burghers are likely to be told that now they may see their liberties are at stake, and they must preserve their country against the invaders or accept the yoke of British despotism. It cannot be doubted that this appeal will sink deeply into the minds of the Boers of both republics and will stir them to extraordinary endeavor.

It is generally expected that Lord Roberts, before he hauls down the Boer colors at Johannesburg and Pretoria, will be compelled to fight more savage battles than any in which he has yet been engaged.

FIRST DISTRICT CONVENTION

Kenosha the Place Selected and the Time April 24.

Beloit, Wis., March 14—The committee of the First Congressional District met in this city at noon yesterday.

The committee, consisting of W. W. Chadwick, chairman of Green county, A. C. Dodge of Green, C. C. Bennett of Lafayette, J. A. Jackson of Kenosha, J. W. Stanford of Walworth, F. S. Ticknor of Racine by proxy, and Cham Inger of Beloit.

After discussion it was determined that the business of the convention should be the nomination of congressman, the selection of two delegates to the National convention, the selection of an elector, and the election of a district committee.

Kenosha was selected as the place for holding the convention, and April 24 at 11 o'clock a. m. as the time.

CONSPIRACY IN BRAZIL

Various High Officers Implicated in a Scheme to Establish a Monarchy.

Rio de Janeiro, March 14—[Special Cablegram]—A conspiracy to establish a monarchy in Brazil has been discovered. Various high officers are implicated.

SPAULDING WIPE

OUT BY A BIG FIRE

Business Portion of Village Near Escanaba is Destroyed—Loss About \$50,000.

Escanaba, Mich., March 14—[Special Telegram]—The business portion of Spaulding, a village about twenty miles south of here was swept away by fire which started in the Chicago & Northwestern building. The

TWILIGHT MEMBERS MET LAST EVENING

THE SUBJECT WAS SCIENTIFIC DEVELOPMENTS.

Speakers of the Evening Were All Well Informed — Annual Banquet Will Take Place Sometime Next Month—Club Is Financially Strong — Those Who Took Part.

Members of the Twilight club held a most interesting session last evening at the Hotel Myers there being one hundred and twenty-five members and friends present when Dr. S. B. Buckmaster, as leader, called the session to order. This meeting ended the fourth season of the club's final banquet will be held some time next month. The date and arrangements will be left to a committee to be announced later by Dr. Buckmaster.

After the serving of the usual repast by Landlords Johnson & Stevens a short business session was held. On motion of Supt. D. D. Mayne it was decided to leave the arrangements for the next annual session in the hands of a committee of five and that \$3 in advance be the prevailing fee for the six meetings.

The report of C. S. Cieland, treasurer, showed all bills paid and a balance on hand of \$53.87.

"Scientific Development" was the topic under discussion last evening and to the greater portion of those present the question was very much of a puzzle.

The first speaker of the evening was Prof. W. A. Rowell of the High school.

He took for his subject, "Astronomical Science." Several colored charts were used by the speaker to illustrate, and from start to close Prof. Rowell held the closest attention of his audience.

Figures that he gave in relation to the greatness of the sun were indeed startling. His talk proved most instructive, and plainly showed that the speaker is a well informed man on "Astronomical Science."

The second speaker of the evening was Edward P. Norcross, who read an interesting paper on "Recent Developments in Electrical Science." He gave members of the club many interesting points on the greatness of electricity as it is utilized today in all parts of the civilized world.

H. J. Cunningham was the next speaker and for his subject he took "Forestry." With this topic the greater portion of those present could better stand than they could the two preceding talks. The speaker told of the good work now being carried out by the United States government in preserving forty-six million acres it was holding for timber reserve.

Dr. Hugo Speier then gave a short address on forestry as carried on to his native land, Germany.

Hon. William Smith was the next speaker in order and at length he talked interestingly on "Telepathy and the Subjective Mind." Mr. Smith handled this difficult question in a way that clearly demonstrated that he was well acquainted with his subject.

George G. Sutherland closed the program. His topic was "Wireless Telegraphy." Two charts aided the speaker to make more clear the mysteries of this recent great discovery and those in attendance were much enlightened as the result of the subject so ably handled by Mr. Sutherland.

JUNIORS HELD BANQUET

At the Y. M. C. A. Building Last Evening

Was Well Attended.

The Juniors of the Y. M. C. A. held a banquet last evening in the association building. Covers were laid for forty-three and that number of guests were on hand at 6 o'clock. The repast was all that could be desired. Secretary Kline was master of ceremonies. Harry Bennett spoke on "Gymnasium Work." Gardner Bennett spoke on "The Great Man."

Frank Phelps played a piano solo and the Y. M. C. A. male quartette, consisting of H. E. Cary, E. A. Foley, E. E. VanPool and Archie Crawford, sang four numbers that brought forth loud applause.

What is Shiloh?

A grand old remedy for Cough, Cold and Consumption; used through the world for half a century, has cured innumerable cases of incipient consumption and relieved many in advanced stages. If you are not satisfied with the results we will refund your money. Price 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1. Sold by J. P. Baker.

Homeseekers' Excursion

On March 6 and 20 the C. and N. W. R. will sell homeseekers' excursion tickets at one fare plus two dollars for the round trip. For full particulars enquire of agent at C. & N. W. R. passenger depot. Telephone No. 35.

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If your dealer cannot supply you write to us and we will see to it that you are supplied.



ROSAIRE, BLOODGOOD AND ELLIOTT IN "THE EVIL EYE."

through four rooms, while the persons in the chase are always kept in view. The rooms, with furniture, chandeliers, pianos, beds, wardrobes, and all appear and disappear with lightning like rapidity.

As the pioneer of modern pantomime improvements, Mr. Yale has fairly outdone himself in the marvelous mechanism which makes such a sensational and startling scene possible. Besides the magic rooms, there are many other features, many quite as mysterious if not so massive. There is a catapeptic bridge and a human windmill and countless minor effects, but they may not be enumerated here.

"The Evil Eye" will be the attraction at the Myers Grand on Friday March 16.

Sales of Seed Leaf Tobacco

Sales of Seed Leaf tobacco reported by J. S. Gans' Son, broker, No. 128 Water street, New York, for the week ending March 12, 1900.

40 cases, crop of 1898, New England Havana Seed, forced sweat, at 20 to 50 cents.

50 cases, crop of 1898, New England Havana Seed, forced sweat, at 25 to 50 cents.

75 cases, crop of 1898, Gebhardt, at 12½ to 13½ cents.

100 cases, crop of 1898, Little Dutch, 9. t.

100 cases, crop of 1898, State Havana, at 12½ to 13½ cents.

250 cases, crop of 1898, Wisconsin Havana, at 11 to 13 cents.

300 cases, crop of 1898, Pennsylvania Seed Leaf, at 11 to 13½ cents.

400 cases, crop of 1898, Zimmers, at 12 to 14½ cents.

Total, 1,335 cases.

Economic League Tonight.

George A. Sutherland is the leader of the meeting of the Economic club tonight. The meeting will be of interest. "Force as an Agency for Training in Government"; "The Right Principle of Government"; "The Dangers of Specialization and Rigidity in Society." These subjects indicate in a general way the ground to be covered. The meeting will be held in Mahoney & Ryan's law office in the Hayes block.

You Try It

If Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure, which is sold for the small price of 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1, does not cure take the bottle back and we will refund your money. Sold for over fifty years on this guarantee. Price 25 cents and 50 cents. Sold by J. P. Baker.

Sympathy Is with the Boers.

Muncie, Ind., March 14.—Congressman George W. Cromer of this city was renominated for his second term here Tuesday by the republicans of the Eighth Indiana district. He had no opposition. The resolutions endorsed President McKinley and his administration as a whole, urged the pushing of the Philippine war and denounced trusts as being unfair to labor and the consumer. The convention wildly applauded references to sympathy with the Boers.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take the War's White Wine of Tar Syrup, the best cough remedy on earth. 25 and 50 cents. People's Drug Co.

is the best defense against disease—and Hostetter's Stomach Bitters makes healthy blood.

HOLD THE ORATORY CONTEST

Preliminary Held Yesterday Afternoon in the High School Auditorium.

At the High school building yesterday afternoon the preliminary oratorical contest took place which resulted in Miss Ethel Sayre, Miss Grace Tennant Victor Marquises being the contestants for the oratorical medal to be awarded at the final contest Friday evening, March 23d. Following is the program as given:

"The Virtues of Today" . . . Corn Bonesteel, '01
"Rudyard Kipling" . . . Victor Marquises, '00
"Wm. E. Gladstone" . . . Ethel Sayre, '00
"Great Britain as a Factor in Modern Civilization" . . . Lloyd Porter, '01
"The Ambition of Woman" . . . Maybelle Arnold, '01
"The Negro Problem" . . . Grace Tenenbaum, '00
The judges were Mrs. O. H. Brand, A. E. Matheson and M. P. Richardson.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

NEWS AND GOSSIP FROM COUNTY TOWNS

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL NORTH JOHNSTOWN NOTES.

Donation Party Given to Rev. A. Longfield Last Thursday—Breezy News from Avon, Porter, West Porter, Six Corners, Rock River and Emerald Grove.

North Johnstown, March 14—About forty persons were present at the donation party at Rev. A. Longfield's last Thursday. Among those from a distance were Mrs. Alvira Gray and daughter, Lizzie, and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bullock of Whitewater. A bountiful dinner was served and a pleasant social time enjoyed. Over fifty dollars in cash and produce was left for the benefit of the family.

Mrs. O. A. Roe and Mrs. H. R. Osborn attended the high school contest at Whitewater Friday evening and report an unusually interesting program. All the contestants eleven in number acquitted themselves in a very commendable manner.

Harold Sprague's family have moved into the house opposite the Oak Lawn factory and Mr. Inn and wife have moved onto the Brotherton farm which they will work for the coming season.

Miss Ida Shuman closed her school Friday for a two weeks' vacation.

Emery Cary has been suffering with neuralgia for several days past.

Remember the annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. with Mrs. Grace Cary Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Gilbert of Stoughton, has been spending several days with the family of his sister, Mrs. Nunn.

James Osborn who has been visiting relatives here went to Milton Sunday

expect to move from the farm soon. Invitations are out for a party at the Porter Band Hall March 16. Music by the Imperial orchestra of Albany. Miss Sadie Evans returned to her home at Monticello last Saturday for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tolles and daughter Amelia, were Janesville visitors last Thursday. Claude Danks of Stoughton, has been visiting relatives in this vicinity. Ward Pierce of Rockford, spent last week with his brother, F. J. Pierce. School has been closed at Cookeville, on account of so many being sick with mumps and measles.

SIX CORNERS.

Six Corners, March 13—The oyster supper at Mrs. Bonds was well attended, the receipts of which were added to the W. C. T. U. treasury. Fred Bumpf returned from Milwaukee Friday where he had been to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law. Miss Maggie Muller who is teaching near Fort Atkinson spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Cunningham. Charles Hankey entertained friends from Appleton last week. Miss Vesta Brown of Edgerton is visiting her sister Mrs. Geo. Sholes. Harvey Godfrey came out from Whitewater Thursday with a large load of supplies for his creamery here. Miss Jennie Walker will return to her home in North Johnstown this week.

ROCK RIVER.

Rock River, March 13—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Palmer, a baby girl. Mr. and Mrs. Avery Vincent went Tuesday to Laverne, Minn. Bible school meeting Sunday evening at Steet Pierces. Harry Swader will move this week on the Dodd farm on the river road. Mr. and Mrs. Amos Camp have packed their goods and will start the first of the week for Virginia for a visit with relatives. Roy Young has moved on his new farm, formerly owned by Amos Camp. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Balch visited in Edgerton a part of last week. The Milton College Cycle club and the Ladies' quartette assisted by Miss Leo Coon will hold a concert at the Rock river church Wednesday evening, March 14. Admission 20 cents. Jennie Ross school in the McRae district closed Friday.

A. R. De Fluent, editor of the Journal, Doylestown, Ohio, suffered for a number of years from rheumatism in his right shoulder and side. He says: "My right arm at times was entirely useless. I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and was surprised to receive relief almost immediately. The Pain Balm has been a constant companion of mine ever since and it never fails." For sale by Smith's Pharmacy, next to postoffice kodak agents.

EMERALD GROVE.

Emerald Grove, March 13—Mrs. C. D. Fitch has been spending the past week with friends at Fort Atkinson. Miss Bessie Westby has returned home after a few weeks with her sister in Illinois. Mrs. Wit Clark is having an attack of the measles. The Ladies Auxiliary serve a dinner at the church parlors on Thursday next. W. J. Jones is having lumber hauled for a new tobacco shed on his farm. Quite a number from this place attended the surprise party at Charles Boynton's on Friday night.

Constipation Cure.—Warner's White Wine of Tar Syrup, the best cough remedy on earth, cures a cold in one day if taken in time; 25 an 50 cents. People's Drug Co.

Excitement at a Theatre.

Kalamazoo, Mich., March 14.—The attempt of a traveling company to present "Sapho" at the Academy of Music Tuesday night was attended by scenes of tumult and excitement. At a council meeting Monday night the aldermen voted to suppress the play. The management, however, ran up the curtain to a packed house. The chief of police ordered the curtain run down. No one responding, he ran it down himself. Twice the manager ran up the curtain. Finally the chief of police ordered the crowd to disperse.

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AVON.

Avon, March 13—The Modern Woodmen held their meeting last Saturday night at the M. W. A. hall and the meeting was very largely attended. There was a very pleasant surprise party given to Misses Annie and Agnes Hyland last Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. John Adams of Brodhead, Wis., spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Jake James. Amos St. John has rented the Clinton farm for this year for cash rent.

WEST PORTER.

West Porter, March 13—About forty of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Searles' friends, well laden with lunch baskets, etc., gathered at their home last Friday evening, to pay them a farewell visit, as they ex-

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HE REJECTS PEACE TERMS.

Lord Salisbury Makes Reply to Note of Boer Presidents.

CONDITIONS ARE RESENTED.

Great Britain Unwilling to Concede Independence of the Two South African Republics — London Editors Approve the Decision of the Prime Minister.

London, March 14.—In the house of lords Tuesday Lord Salisbury, in laying upon the table President Kruger's telegram containing overtures of peace, said that the presidents of the Transvaal and Orange Free State had made acknowledgment of their independence an essential condition.

The answer of her majesty's government, Lord Salisbury said, was that, in view of the use to which the republics had put the powers given to them, it (the British government) was not prepared to assent to the independence either of the South African Republic or the Orange Free State.

Following is the full text of the peace proposals which Presidents Kruger and Steyn sent to Lord Salisbury under date of Bloemfontein, March 5:

"The blood and the tears of the thousands who have suffered in this war, and the prospects of the moral and economic ruin with which South Africa is now threatened make it necessary for both belligerents to ask themselves dispassionately, and in the site of the true God, for what they are fighting; and whether the aim of such justifies all the appalling misery and devastation."

"With this object, and in view of the assertions of various British statesmen to the effect that this war was begun and is being carried out for the set purpose of undermining her majesty's authority in South Africa and to set up an administration in the South African republics independent of her majesty's government, we consider it our duty solemnly to declare that the war was undertaken solely as a defensive measure to safeguard the threatened independence of the South African republics, and is only continued in order to secure and safeguard the uncontested independence of both republics as sovereign national states and to obtain the assurance that those of her majesty's subjects who have taken part with us in this war, shall suffer no harm whatever in person or in property."

"On these conditions, and on these conditions alone, are we now, as in the past, desirous of seeing peace re-established in the South African republics and of putting an end to the evils now reigning over South Africa.

"While her majesty's government is determined to destroy the independence of the republics there is nothing left to us and to our people but to persevere to the end in the course already taken.

"In spite of the overwhelming pre-eminence of the British empire, we are confident that the God who lighted the inextinguishable fire of love of freedom in the hearts of ourselves and of our fathers will not forsake us, but will accomplish his work in us and in our descendants.

"We have hesitated to make this declaration earlier to your excellency, as we feared that so long as the advantage were on our side, and as long as our forces held defensive positions far in her majesty's colonies, such a declaration might hurt the feelings and the honor of the British people. But now that the prestige of the British empire may be considered to be assured by the capture of one of our forces by her majesty's troops, and that we were thereby forced to evacuate other positions which our forces had occupied, that difficulty is over, and we can no longer hesitate clearly to inform your government and people, in the sight of the whole civilized world, why we are fighting and on what conditions we are ready to restore peace."

The reply of Lord Salisbury to the presidents of the South African republics and Orange Free State is dated March 11, and is as follows:

"I have the honor to acknowledge your honors' telegram, dated March 5, from Bloemfontein, of which the purport is principally its demand that her majesty's government shall recognize the uncontested independence of the South African republic and of the Orange Free State, and to offer on those terms to bring the war to a conclusion."

"In the beginning of October last peace existed between her majesty's government under the conventions which then were in existence, and discussions had been proceeding for some months between her majesty's government and the South African republic, of which the object was to obtain redress for very serious grievances under which the residents in the South African republic were suffering.

"In the course of those negotiations the South African republic had, to the knowledge of her majesty's government, made considerable armaments, and the latter had consequently taken steps to provide corresponding reinforcements to the British garrisons in Cape Colony and Natal.

"No infringement of the rights granted by the convention had up to that point taken place on the British side. Suddenly, at two days' notice, the South African republic, after issuing an insulting ultimatum, declared war upon her majesty's government, and the Orange Free State, with whom they had not even been in discussion, took a similar step.

"Her majesty's dominions were invaded by the two republics, siege was laid to three towns within the British frontier, and large portions of the two

colonies were overrun, with great destruction to property and life, and the republics claimed the right to treat the inhabitants of extensive portions of her majesty's dominions as if those dominions had been annexed to one or the other of them.

"In anticipation of these operations the South African republic had been accumulating for many years past military stores on an enormous scale, which by their character, could only have been intended for use against Great Britain.

"Your honors make some observations of a negative character upon the object with which these preparations were made. I do not think it necessary to discuss the question you have raised, but the result of these preparations, which were carried on with great secrecy, has been that the British empire has been compelled to confront an invasion which has entailed upon the empire a costly war and the loss of thousands of precious lives. The great calamity has been the penalty which Great Britain has suffered for having in recent years acquiesced in the existence of the two republics.

"In view of the use to which the two republics have put the position which was given them and the calamities which their unprovoked attack has inflicted upon her majesty's dominions, her majesty's government can only answer your honors' telegram by saying that they are not prepared to assent to the independence either of the South African republic or of the Orange Free State."

Edward W. Hall Adjudged Insane.
Arcola, Ill., March 14.—Edward W. Hall, general manager of the Hall Manufacturing company of this city, has been adjudged insane by a jury and sent to the asylum at Kaukaake.

Prepared to Welcome Dewey.
Conference Action on Financial Bill Sustained by the House.

Washington, March 14.—The conference report on the financial bill was adopted by the house Tuesday by a vote of 166 to 120. Next Saturday was set aside for eulogies on the late Senator Haywood of Nebraska, and the house adjourned.

In the senate Tuesday the executive, legislative and judicial appropriation bill was reported, and Mr. Cullom (rep., Ill.), in charge of it, said he would ask its consideration tomorrow. It carries \$24,155,800.

Mr. Allen (rep., Neb.), rising to a personal explanation, gave a strident denial to recent newspaper assertions that he had consented to become an advocate for the free and unlimited coinage of gold and silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. He declared that he was still an advocate of the free and unlimited coinage of silver. Following Mr. Turner's Puerto Rico speech the senate held a short executive session before adjourning.

The Cabinet Talks Tariff.

Washington, March 14.—Discussion of the Porto Rican tariff was indulged in at the cabinet meeting. The appeal of the Porto Ricans for free trade was considered.

This petition also received much attention from the senators,

inasmuch as it is regarded a straightforward reflection of the sentiment of the natives. The strong arguments for free trade and the enumeration of mutual benefits as well as the distress that would be inflicted upon the island by a discriminating tariff are employed by the free trade senators to convert the other group of Republicans who still insist upon a tariff.

Big Batch of Indictments.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 14.—The grand jury has returned nearly 200 indictments against gamblers, saloonkeepers and druggists, the latter being accused of handling liquor without a license.

Sixty-three of the indictments are against William Kissel, a gambling-house proprietor, who is said to have paid the police for protection.

Kissel is now in jail, bond for his release amounting in all the cases to \$32,000.

Buel Davis Commits Suicide.

Oshkosh, Wis., March 14.—The body of Buel Davis, son of former superintendent of schools of this city, Winona and Topeka, was fished out of the Fox river Tuesday. The young man left home Sunday night, and Monday noon his parents received a letter telling them that he feared his mind was breaking down under study and that he chose suicide in preference to death. Deceased was 17-years old.

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Nothing else is just as good and many things that may be suggested are dangerous. This great medicine has a constant record of cure. Thousands of women testify to it. Read their letters constantly appearing in this paper.

To Be Closed on Sunday.

Paris, March 14.—An official connect-

ed with the management of the exposition announces that every facility will

be granted for carrying out the wish of

President McKinley that Sunday will

be observed as far as the American section

of the exposition is concerned. He

pointed out, however, that Sunday will

be a day on which the greatest number

of visitors will attend and that Ameri-

can commerce must suffer unless the

American section is open some part of

that day.

Not Afraid of Liquid Air.

Marion, Ind., March 14.—The third

annual meeting of the ice Manufacturers' association, composed of members

from Illinois, Pennsylvania, Ohio and

Indiana, is in progress here. The ses-

sion will last two days. The meeting

was addressed by J. F. Nickerson of

Chicago, editor of the official paper.

Mr. Nickerson's subject was the prac-

ticality of liquid air as a competitor of

ice. He said that the liquid air was

purely experimental and would not

take the place of ice.

Brownlow Faction Wins.

Nashville, Tenn., March 14.—The state

republican executive committee met

Tuesday, and was controlled by

the Congressman Brownlow faction.

Pension Commissioner Evans no longer

carries the Tennessee republican party

in his vest pocket. The Brownlow men

have absolute control of the situation,

and will dominate the state convention,

to be held in Nashville April 19, though

the Evans men will make a desperate

fight for supremacy.

Big Fire at Carbondale.

Carbondale, Ill., March 14.—A disas-

trous conflagration began at midnight

and before being brought under control

destroyed the greater portion of

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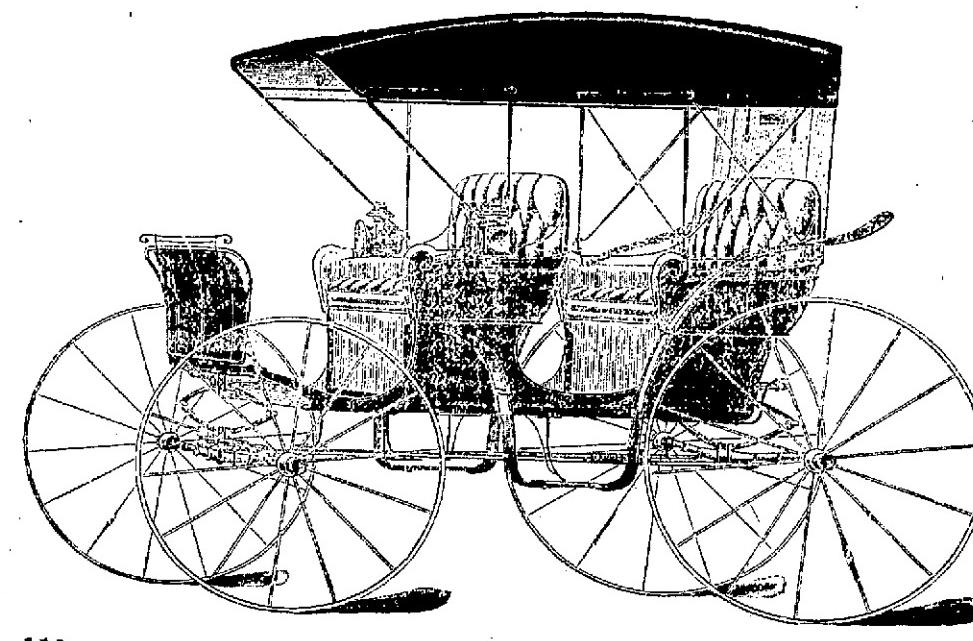
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California Sweet Jumbo, per lb. 10c
(The best obtainable.)

California, large, sweet, per lb. 8c
(Very fine; regular 10c stock.)

California, medium size, sweet, 4 lbs. for 25c
(A leader.)

APPLES--Fancy evaporated, per lb. 9c

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Wisconsin Weather Forecast

Threatening tonight, Thursday possibly rain or snow.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1500—Decisive battle of Ivry and victory of Henry of Navarre.

1803—Frederick Theophilus Klopstock, German poet, died; born 1724.

1820—Victor Emmanuel, in whose reign the unification of Italy was completed, born in Turin; died Jan. 9, 1878. Italy's first King was born to the Duke of Savoy, Cavour because his prime minister in 1852 and in 1851 he gained admission to the convention of European powers by joining with England and France in the Crimean war. When Austria invaded the Sardinian Kingdom, in 1859, Cavour called upon his old ally, France, and the Austrians were defeated at Magenta and Solferino. From that time on the Italian states deposed their petty princes, and in 1860 all Italy was united.

1869—Henry Bessemer, inventor of the bessemer steel process, died; born 1813.

1899—Emile Erckmann, French novelist, collaborator with Chatrian, died in Paris; born 1822.

PORTO RICO'S PRODUCTS

A report made to the War Department by Gen. G. W. Davis, governor of Porto Rico, gives The St. Louis Globe-Democrat a text for an interesting editorial concerning the products of the island. Among other facts given are the following: Only two states in the Union are smaller in area, though quite a number have fewer inhabitants. About one-eighth of Porto Rico, or 300,000 acres is under cultivation, including 122,000 acres devoted to coffee, 61,000 to sugar cane and 4,200 to tobacco. The rest is taken up with maize, beans, rice and native fruits. The acreage is surprisingly small for an island that has been settled so long and that has a population of nearly 1,000,000. Only a quarter of the land suited to coffee has been used for this product, and tobacco also might be much more extensively raised. The fruit interest is backward. Oranges, bananas, pineapples and limes might be grown for export, but are cultiva'd only for the home demand. Under the Spanish regime Porto Rico just drowsed along from hand to mouth, and this condition cannot be changed in a day.

In Gov. Davis' opinion Porto Rico must look to sugar, tobacco and coffee for exports in the immediate future. The maximum of sugar exports was 170,000 tons in 1870. Last year's sugar crop was 60,000 tons. In 1897 the tobacco raised amounted to 6,255,953 pounds and in the same year the export of coffee was 51,710,007 pounds. The basis for business at best is not large and the need of the island for special consideration is apparent. What it has to sell is limited in quantity, and favorable trade regulations are requisite if that little is to return a profit. Gov. Davis remarks that unless Congress affords relief the "paralysis of Porto Rico must continue and the poor and helpless, in increasing number, must be fed by us or they will starve to death." The House has already followed the President's recommendation to return to Porto Rico the \$2,000,000 collected on its exports to this country, and the Senate will not long withhold its approval of the measure.

Democrats to Meet in Milwaukee

Chairman George W. Peck of the democratic state central committee, has called a meeting of that committee for Tuesday evening, April 10, at the Plankinton house. At this meeting a date will be set for the democratic state convention.

Sheldon's Appeal Is Heard.

Probably the first response to the appeal issued by the Rev. Mr. Sheldon, in his Topeka paper, in behalf of the starving people in India, has been made by the people of Milwaukee. Today the sum of \$25 was collected by the people of the Seventeenth ward to help pay for a cargo of grain to be shipped to India. The persons having charge of the movement propose to continue the work of soliciting, and an effort will be made to collect at least \$1,000.

An Extraordinary Obituary Notice.

In the Northampton (England) papers recently there appeared the following extraordinary obituary notice: "Smith, January 5, at London. George Smith and John Smith, twin sons of the late James Smith of this town, aged 57." The twins were both cabinet-makers, and lived at Peckham. The coincidences do not end here, for each caught pneumonia following on influenza, one dying in the morning and the other in the evening.

Carbonic Acid a Fire Extinguisher.

The use of liquefied carbonic acid gas to extinguish underground fires has been dealt with by Mr. George Spencer in a paper read before the Institution of Mining Engineers. A fire occurred in heading of a colliery with which Mr. Spencer was connected. It was decided to use carbon dioxide to put out the fire, and six cylinders of the liquefied gas were successfully used. In case of fire on shipboard the use of carbon dioxide might prove invaluable. It can be instantly applied and save much damage by water to the cargo.

Elijah Moore, of Dexter, Mo., murdered his father. As the punishment for a capital crime, in Missouri is hanging, it is likely that the modern Elijah too, will "ascend up."

General Roberts weighs a little under 100 pounds, but when it comes to a flying wedge or a dash around the ends he

appears to weigh a ton, heaping measure.

We note the fact that the Rev. Mr. Sheldon was scooped right and left yesterday, by all the publications in the United States except The Interior and The Advance.

Andrew Carnegie announces that Mr. Frick has made a slight error, and has \$4,000,000, not \$21,000,000, due him. Mistakes will happen.

The British lion, however, may prefer to run its own affairs on the ground that "to the victor belongs the spoils."

Mayor Rose wielded the whip and made his party dance.

64,500 union men in Chicago are idle because of strikes.

COUNCILS IN CITIES AND VILLAGES

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of March, 1900, caucuses will be held in the various wards for the electing of cities and villages at 7 o'clock p.m. and remaining open for the period of one hour, for the purpose of electing delegates to the Republican Convention for Rock County to be held at Janesville, April 5, 1900, for the purpose of electing delegates to the Republican State Convention to be held at Milwaukee, April 25, 1900, to elect delegates to the Republican National Convention to be held in June, 1900, and to nominate two electors of President and Vice President of the United States, to be voted for at the general election in November next, and to transact such other business as may come before the Convention.

Dated, March 10, 1900.

By order of the Rock County Republican Committee.

CONVENTION

A Republican convention for the County of Rock will be held in the City of Janesville on Saturday, the 5th instant, at 7 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the State Convention at Milwaukee, April 25, 1900, to be held in the Auditorium, Peoria, on the 25th of April, 1900, and to nominate two electors of President and Vice President of the United States, to be voted for at the general election in November next, and to transact such other business as may come before the Convention.

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The number of delegates to be chosen from each ward and the places of holding the respective caucuses are as follows:

Cities and No. of Delegates Place.

City of Beloit..... 1. Village of Clinton..... 1. Village of Clinton..... 1. Waukesha's Hall.

1st Ward..... 4. Vicent's store, 300 State St.

2nd Ward..... 7. Companion Council room.

3rd Ward..... 6. Polling Booth.

4th Ward..... Odd Fellows' Hall.

5th Ward..... Building known as 218 C St.

City of Evansville..... 1. 1st Ward..... 1. J. Nashall's Carp'nt shop.

2nd Ward..... City Hall.

3rd Ward..... Over Lehnnell's Harness Shop.

City of Edgerton..... 1. City Hall.

Village of Clinton..... 1. Waukesha's Hall.

City of Janesville..... 1. West Side Fire Station.

2nd Ward..... East Side Fire Station.

3rd Ward..... Polling Booth Court St. Bldg.

4th Ward..... Common Council Chamber.

5th Ward..... Polling Booth on Holmes St., near Center Avenue.

Dated, March 10, 1900.

THOMAS S. NOLAN, Chairman.

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COUNCILS IN TOWNS

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of March, 1900, at 7 o'clock p.m., caucuses will be held for the various towns for the purpose of electing delegates to represent such towns at a Republican Convention for Rock county, to be held in Janesville, April 5, 1900, for the purpose of electing delegates to attend the State Convention at Milwaukee, April 25, 1900, to elect delegates to the Republican National Convention to nominate presidential electors.

The number of delegates to be chosen and the places of holding such caucuses are as follows:

No. of Towns Delegates Place.

Union..... 1. Room over Lemmell's harness shop, Evansville.

Poiter..... Wilder's School House.

Fulton..... 1. Bowditch, Ingram Ford.

Milford..... 1. Holbrook's Hall.

Munro..... 1. McCor's Hall, Macaulay Center.

Janesville..... 1. Grange Hall.

Johnstown..... 1. Town Hall.

Harmony..... 1. Franklin Hall.

Sparta Valley..... 1. Town Hall of M. E. Church.

Bronx..... 1. Woodman's Hall, Hanover.

Rock..... 1. Woodman's Hall.

La Prairie..... 1. Town Hall.

Bradford..... 2. Town Hall, Bradford Center.

Avon..... 3. Woodman Hall.

Newark..... 4. Town Hall.

Beloit..... 2. 4th N. State Street of Beloit.

Town..... 1. Town Hall.

Clinton Town..... 4. Drake's Hall, vil. of Clinton.

Dated March 10, 1900.

Rock County Republican Com., by THOS. S. NOLAN, Chairman.

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FOR SALE at a bargain. Two choice building lots well located. W. J. McFatty, Room 3, Carpenter block.

WANTED—500 pounds of clean rags at this office.

FOR SALE—Houses and lots on easy payments. Whitehead & Matheson.

FOR SALE—Mortgages, large and small. Whitehead & Matheson.

FOR RENT—City and farm property. Whitehead & Matheson.

FOR SALE—Steam launch. No. 3 North Fifth street, E. Parks.

WANTED—Gen's second hand bicycle. Must be cheap. Same name of wheel and price. Address W. G. Zetter.

M. R. H. S. HAYNER, the expert piano tuner and repairman from Chicago, is in the city and will attend to orders left at Myers House by mail or 'phone.

WANTED—Two painters. Jeffreys Co.

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DID JOHN CONNELL SELL TO MINORS?

PLACED UNDER ARREST THIS MORNING.

When Brought Into Court He Asked That the Case Be Held Open Until Tomorrow Morning — It Is Said That the Three Boys Now in Jail Have So Informed the Police.

John Connell was placed under arrest this morning by Chief Hogan on the charge of selling liquor to boys under twenty-one years of age.

When arraigned in court at 10 o'clock this morning Mr. Connell asked the court to adjourn the case until tomorrow morning and this favor was granted.

It is said that the three boys now in jail on the charge of being intoxicated last Sunday have made a confession to the officers to the effect that they obtained their liquor at Connell's saloon.

When arraigned in court on Monday the boys stated that they did not know where they secured the liquor but confinement behind jail bars has had the effect of changing their minds.

DIRECTORS ARE ELECTED

Meeting of Stockholders of the Bower City Bank Held

Stockholders of the Bower City bank held their annual election of officers last evening. The following board of directors was elected. James Shearer, John W. Sale, John Thoroughgood, William G. Heller, George G. Sutherland, E. E. Bingham and Robert M. Bostwick.

NASH SENTENCED TO JAIL

Brought Before the Court for Refusing to Settle a Court Fine

Thomas Nash was before the court this morning and given a fine of a total of \$8.86 or fifteen days in jail. Nash was out on parole with the understanding that he was to pay a fine recently imposed. But this fine he never paid and this failure resulted in his arrest this morning.

AUGUST KETELHUT TAKEN TO MENDOTA

Went Insane Over the Belief That He Was Being Hunted By One Who Wanted to Kill Him.

Constant worrying over the belief that he had been condemned to die, has driven August Ketelhut insane. Today the unfortunate man was taken to the state hospital for the insane at Mendota for treatment. Ketelhut has been acting queer for some time. Just recently friends rescued him from the river where he had waded. When brought safe to shore he stated that he went into the river so as to escape from one who was trying to take his life.

Ketelhut has been in Janesville but a short time he once resided in Chicago. Drs. M. A. Cunningham and Hugo Spier yesterday examined Ketelhut and pronounced him insane.

JENNIE HEMSTOCK WILL BE RELEASED

Many Give Towards Paying the Fine of the Unfortunate Girl Who Is Now in Jail.

Recent indications are that Miss Jennie Hemstock, the domestic now serving a three months' sentence in the Rock county jail for having stolen a box at the J. M. Bostwick residence, which contained \$10,000 in currency and valuable papers will soon gain her liberty.

Friends have subscribed the greater portion of the fine. Enough money will also be given Miss Hemstock to reach her home. The greater portion of those who have given money have never even seen the fair prisoner. The girl is but eighteen years of age and this fact alone has brought forth much pity.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

If a want ad you have not tried, begin now and be satisfied.

Miss Minnie E. Beaumont, first soprano, has a superb voice. Her solo at the Y. M. C. A. tonight will be worth the admission. Those present last year know this is true.

Miss Nellie Quick and Katherine Jones, 2nd soprano and 1st contralto, are soloists above the average, and the Y. M. C. A. is to be honored with their second appearance tonight.

DANIEL SHERIDAN of this city has made the purchase of the McKeague & Webber saloon on South River street. Mr. Sheridan is a former well known resident of the town of La Prairie and is a young man who is well informed on the ins and outs of the saloon business.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First M. E. church will hold their annual thank offering meeting at the church parlor, Thursday, March 15, at 7:30 o'clock. The members are requested to be present at 7 o'clock. Also come prepared to answer roll call. A special musical and literary program has been prepared for the evening.

MRS. HELEN COATES of Ottawa, Canada, will give a course of lectures to ladies at the Y. M. C. A. hall, Thursday at 3 p. m., Friday 7:30 p. m., Saturday 3 p. m. of this week. Subjects will be, "Self Help Through Self Knowledge," "Beauty," "A Temple Not Made With Hands." Every lady should avail herself of the opportunity of attending these lectures as they will be interesting, instructive and are free of admission.

MENU FOR THURSDAY.

The daintiest last, to make the end most sweet.—"Richard II."

BREAKFAST.
Preserved Peaches and Cream.
Honey and Maple Syrup.
Ham and Eggs. Criss. Toast.
Chocolate.

LUNCHEON.
Sliced Pineapple. Waffles.
Cheese. Cake. Tea.

DINNER.
Oysters on Half Shell.
Stewed Pigeon. Crisp Bacon.
Salted Peanuts.
Cucumber and Tomato Salad.
Crisched Potatoes.
Preserved Cherries. Cheese. Water.
Coffee.

CUCUMBER AND TOMATO SALAD.—If you do not eat tomatoes, learn to do so. The taste can be cultivated and acquired and will amply repay the effort. The treatment of cucumbers and tomatoes varies in the same way as the treatment of onions and good liver does that of dressing of some kind improves these deficiencies. If you are fond of both cucumbers and tomatoes, no better way can be found than to serve them both cut in thin slices and in the same dish with a French dressing or a light mayonnaise.

BRIEF NOTES OF LOCAL NEWS

USE Pillsbury's flour. H. S. Johnson. See our dried fruit ad. Dedrick Bros. SALTED peanuts at Stevens & Bates' FRESH lettuce and onions. Dedrick Bros.

A LITTLE want ad—a big business getter.

FANCY smoked white fish. Dedrick Bros.

A NEW lot of fine bananas. Dedrick Bros.

SCANDINAVIAN masquerade tomorrow night.

MALAGA grapes, very fancy. Dedrick Bros.

WALNUT dates, nice and fresh at Stevens & Bates'.

TAKY our pure maple sugar; it will please. Dedrick Bros.

LARGE, fine cocoanut, 5 cents, at Stevens & Bates'.

TRADES Council dance on the evening of St. Patrick's day.

FRESH eggs, each one guaranteed perfect. Dedrick Bros.

GER a dozen oranges on your way home this evening of Dedrick Bros.

Don't miss the Lyric Ladies Quartette at the Y. M. C. A. tonight.

If you like good cheese step in and sample ours. Stevens & Bates'.

SPECIAL sale of lace curtains tomorrow and Friday, at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

New maple sugar was seen at Grubb's today. They say it is only ten days from the sap.

New lace curtains at greatly reduced prices tomorrow and Friday at our sale. Bort, Bailey & Co.

COFFEE and wafers served all day Saturday free at the Ceylon Tea Store, 33 South Main street.

A FEW more cords of rough, white oak left. Sawed and delivered at \$6.00 per cord. F. A. Taylor & Co.

THINE is but one best—F. A. Taylor & Co's coal and wood yard. Prompt delivery and the best quality of fuel.

A hot time for those who burn out chunk wood. Only a small amount left \$5.50 and \$6 per cord. F. A. Taylor & Co.

We are closing out a line of canned fish, including lobster, mackerel, finnan haddie, etc., at less than cost. Stevens & Bates'.

Owing to the small attendance at the Armory last evening no shoemakers' union was formed. Another effort will be made.

A good place for business men to advertise is in our "want" column. It is read by everybody. Three lines, three times for 25 cents.

A COSTUMER will be at Concordia hall with costumes for the Scandinavian masquerade, Thursday evening, so that those who attend can secure appropriate suits.

A REGULAR large sized frying pan such as you pay 35 cents for, given free with every one-pound can of Ceylon Baking Powder Saturday. Ceylon Tea Store.

The second appearance of the Lyric Ladies at the Y. M. C. A. tonight. Any one who enjoys fine music and first class entertainment don't fail to come early tonight at the Y. M. C. A.

Mrs. Careful Buyer says the X-L-N-T coffee is better than the 35 cent coffee she has used so long. Our price is only 25 cents a pound and we give premium tickets too. Bort, Bailey & Co.

At the Y. M. C. A. tonight Miss Gertrude Sprague holds first place as the most wonderful second, alto before the public. The Y. M. C. A. auditorium will be packed. Come early, 25¢.

One dollar lace curtains for 67 cents at the special sale Thursday and Friday. Also big bargains in odd curtains and sample ends. Read other prices in our large ad. Bort, Bailey & Co.

The Trades Council will celebrate St. Patrick's day with a dance at the armory next Saturday evening. Smith's orchestra will play and dancing will commence at 8 o'clock sharp.

AMONG other good things we shall offer 200 agents' sample ends of lace curtains on Thursday and Friday at prices about one-sixth of what they are worth per pair. Read our large display in another column. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Our lace curtain stock is now complete with new goods, and we are making a record on prices for Thursday and Friday. On these days we will have a big lace curtain sale and it will be to your advantage to see us then. Bort, Bailey & Co.

JUDGE DUNWIDDIE HEARS MURDER CASE

JURY AT MONROE ACQUITS JOHN ZWEIFEL.

Case Has Been of Special Interest, as the Circumstances Were Most Peculiar—Crime Was Alleged as the Result of a Wrestling Match—Parties Well Known.

After being out for five hours and thirty minutes the jury in the case of the state of Wisconsin vs. John Zweifel brought in a verdict of acquittal.

The case has been on trial at Monroe before Judge B. F. Dunwiddie of this city. The charge was murder. The interested attorneys warmly contested the action from start to finish.

The state failed to establish any malice or ill will and about the only thing that could be relied upon to bring about a conviction was certain statements that the state claims were made by Zweifel together with the fact that Jacob Babler, who was knocked from a bridge in Spring Grove in December, died from his injuries.

The prisoner is young, of slight build and nothing more serious was brought up against him than that he is unfortunately responsible for an accident that resulted from wrestling. There was one other party with Zweifel and Babler at the time the accident occurred and they were on their way home from a neighbor's house on Sunday evening, Dec. 22.

Four of the men had spent the evening together, drinking about a gallon of wine. They had reached the bridge, when Zweifel claims Babler called him something, whereupon he hit Babler and he fell from the bridge out onto the ice, seven feet below, sustaining injuries from which he died. No one else has told anything more, not even the third party who was with them.

For the Farmers Institute at Delavan, Wis., March 13 to 16, the Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell excursion tickets on above dates, good to return until March 17, at one and one-third fare round trip.

REV. E. H. PENCE WIRES ACCEPTANCE

Message Was Sent Last Evening—Expects to Leave Janesville About the First of April.

When Rev. E. H. Pence wired his acceptance last evening to fill the pulpit of the Fort Street Presbyterian church at Detroit, it was no more than what his numerous local friends expected.

From the time the offer was first made Rev. Mr. Pence it was plain enough that the local divine could hardly refuse such a tempting place. A brief message to Detroit last evening closes all doubts in the matter and on or about April 1 he leaves for the Michigan metropolis.

Just who will fill the pulpit of the local church remains to be seen. As yet the members have no one in view.

CHURCH MEMBERS WILL HOLD BANQUET

Plans are Now Being Made to Hold Such a Banquet at the Armory by St. Patrick's Church.

Members of St. Patrick's church are planning on the holding of a large banquet to be given soon after the close of Lent. The event will possibly take place in the armory and it is the intention to lay covers for a large number of guests.

At a recent meeting the following committee was appointed to make the necessary arrangements: Mrs. Dennis Hayes, Mrs. Bridget Turbit, J. L. Mahoney and F. M. Marzloff.

Previous banquets held under the auspices of St. Patrick's church have proved themselves to be all that could be desired. The coming banquet promises to be well supplied with speakers of note.

As yet the committee in charge have made but a small portion of the arrangements but the interested public can rest assured that nothing will be neglected that will add to the comfort and pleasure of the invited guests.

WANTS THE JUDGE TO SIGN PARDON

That Was the Purpose of Attorney A. H. Hoffmann's Visit to Janesville Today.

Attorney A. H. Hoffmann of Madison called on Judge C. L. Fifield this afternoon for the purpose of having him sign papers calling for a pardon in the case of Charles Trask, who was sentenced to state prison from this city for one year on November 16.

Trask robbed a fellow boarder in Beloit of considerable cash. He was intoxicated at the time. Before committing this crime Trask is said to have born a good reputation. He is a machinist by trade and resided in Madison before removing to Beloit.

More Popular Every Day.
Do we sell lots of cigars? Yes sir, we do. You will find your brand in our case and our price will help you get a couple of extra cigars for every quarter you spend. GIAUVE PRODUCT CO.

We have only about 100 pounds left of that pure maple sugar. This is the last of over a ton. We shall have the same goods the coming season. Stevens & Bates.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

L. J. ELLIOTT of Racine, was in the city today.

J. W. BATES of Beloit, had business in the city last evening.

ATTORNEY R. M. Richmond of Evansville, had business here today.

J. E. RIBILLY of Evansville, was today looking after local business matters.

H. W. CHILDS of Edgerton attended the Twilight club meeting last evening.

I. F. WORTENDUYNE, superintendent of the New Gas Light Co., is on the sick list.

H. B. DeLong of Chicago, who has been visiting in the city has returned home.

HENRY HEMMING, who has been dangerously ill at the Palmer hospital is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Thomas, former well known residents of this city, are the guests of local friends.

GEORGE THOMAS of Chicago, is in the city, being an interested stockholder in the Isabel Manufacturing company.

Mrs. H. A. Palmer has returned from Monroe where she was called by the dangerous illness of her mother.

W. F. Bosworth has been elected secretary of the Janesville Machine company to fill the position formerly held by S. M. Smith.

RECEIVE MANY LARGE ORDERS

Isabel Manufacturing Co. of This City Flavored by Chicago Houses

During the past few days large orders have arrived in the city for the Isabel Manufacturing company coming from Chicago firms that have a wide reputation. These orders involve several hundred dollars' worth of goods and mean much for the local factory. The Isabel factory is now running full force to fill their orders and the present indications point to a most prosperous season ahead.

STILL VERY PRIMITIVE.

Life in Portuguese Colonies Much Like It Was 300 Years Ago.

The Portuguese colonies in Africa are the Rip Van Winkle's land of reality. After three centuries of white dominion they remain pretty much in the condition in which Da Gama and his bold successors left them. In the year's report of our consul for Angola these Portuguese peculiarities stand out strongly. Thus, from Loanda, the capital, to Cape Town, is about 1,300 miles, and the journey should take about six days. What actually happens is this: You first take a trip of 3,000 miles to Madeira, where you stay the next mail steamer, and then complete the excursion by another journey of 4,800 miles to Cape Town. In short, 7,800 miles have to be traveled to cover a distance of 1,600 miles.

A letter between Cape Town and Loanda takes about two months. Here is a picture of what trades mean in the favored region of Cabinda bay, where there is a single trader, who occupies a house of three rooms, with a "shop" of 20 by 8 feet attached. The place is stocked with puncheons of some vile stuff called "rum," which are exchanged for palm kernels. Knots of natives from the interior villages with loads of kernels begin to present themselves at the shop at 6 a. m., and when the trader at last makes his appearance there is a noisy crowd of kernel-sellers and thirsty-hangers-on. The exchange of rum for kernels is quickly effected, and by 9 in the morning the entire

CHRISTIANS ARE IN DANGER.

War Now Seems Imminent in the Balkan States.

RIOT AND PANIC SUPREME.

BLOODY CRISIS APPROACHES IN ALBANIA AND SERVIA—TROOPS ARE POWERLESS TO SUPPRESS RIOTING—TURKISH GOVERNMENT IS APATHETIC.

London, March 14.—A St. Petersburg dispatch says: With Russia singularly apathetic and the other continental powers little inclined to make a serious effort to avert a bloody crisis in the Balkans, there is much more fear here that a deadly war may soon convulse the peninsula. The Arnauts or Albanians are renewing their ferocities in Albania and old Servia, where they have thrown the Christian populace into panic. An outbreak in Macedonia is expected daily.

Three battalions of Turkish troops have arrived in Mitrovitsa, and troops also have been hurried to the Kossova district of Albania. The Turks are finding themselves, however, almost powerless to check rioting. At least that is what is reported, but the belief is general here that the porte has made no energetic effort to quell the fanatic anti-Christian movement of the muslims, who are committing murder, arson and robbery by wholesale.

It is even believed that Turkey's intention is to root the Christians out of the country, and that to this end the fanatic tribes of the west are being encouraged to commit excesses.

HIGHER PRICES FOR MILK.

Elgin, Ill., March 14.—The Borden Condensed Milk company has contracted for milk for six months, beginning April 1, at an average of 95 1-3 cents per 100 pounds, or 66 2-3 cents per eight-gallon can. Last spring the price was an average of 80 cents per 100 pounds. The farmers wanted \$1 this spring, but concluded the increase of 18 1-3 cents was better than an uncertainty, and all but the members of the local dairymen's association voted to sign the contracts. About 10,000 pounds daily are contracted for here. Another creamery company will pay as follows per 100 pounds: April, 90 cents; May, 82 cents; June, 78 cents; July, 80 cents; August, 87 cents; September, \$1—an average of 86 1-6 cents. About 10,000 pounds daily will be received.

STREETS PAVED WITH GOLD.

Denver, Colo., March 14.—The streets of Denver are paved with gold. Mark Watson, one of the "49ers," proved it to W. P. Finley of New York. The miner called attention to the gravel thrown up in the excavation for a sewer on Sixteenth street, Denver's main thoroughfare. "That's plainer dirt," said he. To the eastener the dirt looked like any other, and he doubted the miner's assertion. "Bet you I can find 50 cents in an hour," said the miner. The bet was accepted, and the miner fell to work on the dirt at Sixteenth and Blake streets. He washed seven pans in the hour, absorbing the dust with mercury. An assayer tested the mercury amalgam, and placed its value at 62 cents.

MAY BLOW UP MINES.

Paris, March 14.—While all the papers of Paris believe it is the duty of the European powers to offer to use their good offices in the way of promoting peace, none believes that any will do so. The anti-republican papers, eager to push the government into an impossible position, predict the blowing up of the mines and other disasters in the Transvaal unless France intervenes. "What then," they ask, "will become of the millions of francs Frenchmen invested in the Rand?"

WOMAN FATALLY SHOT.

Chicago, March 14.—Mrs. E. Brown of 604 North Homan avenue went to the office of Dr. Offstrosky, 207 Halsted street, Tuesday night and complained of illness. The doctor examined the woman and found a bullet hole in her breast. She was taken to the county hospital. Physicians there say the woman will die. She refused to say who shot her.

TRIES HARD TO KILL HIMSELF.

Chicago, March 14.—Charles D. Mims of New York City attempted to end his life at the Sherman house Tuesday afternoon by cutting his throat with a razor and stabbing himself three times in the region of the heart with a penknife. The wounds are not deep enough to inflict serious injury, and physicians at the county hospital say Mims will be out of the hospital in a week.

MRS. GRANT IN ST. PETERSBURG.

St. Petersburg, March 14.—Mrs. Frederick D. Grant arrived here direct from Washington Monday night with a trained nurse to assist in nursing her daughter, Princess Cantacuzene-Sternsky, who has been ill several weeks with a slight attack of typhoid fever, but who is much improved in health.

FIRE AT POWERS, MICH.

Powers, Mich., March 14.—The big general store, including the Northwestern station and postoffice, also the general store of Ross Bros. & Co., at Spalding, was wiped out by fire Tuesday evening. The loss is nearly \$20,000 and is fully insured.

6,000 years have we waited for the greatest blessing ever offered. It doubles your joys and halves your sorrows. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents. Smith's Pharmacy Kodak Agents.

DRAPER A FREE MAN AGAIN.

Petersburg, Ill., March 14.—Charles L. Draper, on trial here for perjury, on a change of venue from Morgan county, has been acquitted by the jury under instructions from Judge Mehan. Draper was accused of the murder of Charles Hastings at Jacksonville in 1897. After his arrest a confession was obtained, but at the trial he pleaded self-defense and was acquitted. It was in this connection that the charge of perjury arose.

TO DOUBLE-TRACK THE B. & O.

Chicago, March 14.—Orders have been given for the immediate commencement of the work of double-tracking the entire Chicago division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. General Manager Underwood, Chief Engineer Graham and other officials of the road are now making a thorough inspection of the Chicago division, which is 278 miles long. An immense force of laborers will be put to work as soon as weather conditions permit.

OUTBREAK AT COPPER MINES.

Tucson, Ariz., March 14.—A pitched battle, in which knives and pistols were used, was fought last night between Mexican and American laborers at the Helvetia copper mines. The fight was precipitated by drunken Mexicans "shooting up" the camp. One Chinaman was killed. Two Americans and three Mexicans were wounded seriously. More trouble is expected.

CONTRACT FOR WATER WORKS.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, March 14.—The city council has awarded the contract for the new water works system to John H. Brown, Chicago, who agrees to construct a \$560,000 plant and sell it to the city on annual payments of \$36,000 for twenty-three years. Plans will be prepared at once.

CHARLES H. COSTER DEAD.

New York, March 14.—Charles H. Coster, a member of the firm of J. Pierpont Morgan & Co., died suddenly today.

When doctors fail try Burdock Blood Bitters. Cures dyspepsia constipation; invigorates the whole system.

Takes the burn out; heals the wound; eases the pain. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, the household remedy.

The little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take; perfectly harmless; positive cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma.

Scratch, scratch, scratch; unable to attend to business during the day or sleep during the night. Itching piles—horrible plague. Doan's Ointment cures. Never fails. At any drug store, 50 cents.

MAN'S A LOVER.

Has turned with disgust from an otherwise lovable girl with an offensive breath. Karl's Clover Root Tea purifies the breath by action on the bowels, etc., as nothing else will. Sold for years on absolute guarantee. Price 25 cents and 50 cents. Sold by J. P. Balkor.

TRY SUCCEED HENNESSY.

Dubuque, Iowa, March 14.—The late Archbishop Hennessy's council and irremovable rectors will meet here Thursday to recommend a successor. The suffragan bishops will meet for the same purpose at Davenport a week later, and the archbishops later on. Cardinal Gibbons will hear these recommendations to Rome in May. He is the friend of Archbishop Keane of the Catholic university, who, it is thought, will probably be chosen.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County—in Probate. Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county, at the Court House, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday in April, the 9th day of April, 1890, at 9 o'clock a.m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Adam Thorburn for the adjustment and allowance of his account as administrator of the estate of Sarah Thorburn, late wife of Jameson, in the city of Janesville, in said county, for the amount of \$1,000, or to such other persons as are by law entitled thereto.

DATED MARCH 13, 1890.

By the Court,
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County Judge.

John Cunningham, attorney.
womanidw.

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All claims against James Bear, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, decreased.

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They are only bubbles, those maiden fancies of love, marriage and motherhood. But what beautiful bubbles they are! Who does not wish that all these fancies could end as did the old fairy stories, "and they lived happy ever after." Pain soon pricks the bubbles, and nothing remains of all the hope and gladness of the bride but a bridal veil and a piece of stale wedding cake.

The only way in which happiness can be realized in marriage is by being forearmed against its dangers. Most young women are ignorant of the fact that irregularity means a derangement of the womanly functions which may have far-reaching consequences after marriage. With this derangement at the start there often follow the drains, ulcerations and inflammations which make life one long misery.

A certain cure for irregularity and other diseases peculiar to women is found in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It contains no alcohol neither opium, cocaine nor other narcotics.

"I was so weak I did not have strength to walk across my room," writes Miss Isobel Miller, of New Providence, Calloway Co., Ky. "My periods occurred too often and the hemorrhage would be prolonged and the loss of blood very great. I also had spasms which the doctor said were fainting fits. My stomach would cramp until I could not straighten. I did not gain strength from one monthly period to another; was very weak and nervous all that time. The doctor told me he did not know what was the cause of my trouble, but I lived well and all day. I took in all six bottles of the 'Pierce's Prescription' and about five vials of Dr. Pierce's Pellets. I used no other medicine. I have never had a return of this trouble since."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets clear the complexion and sweeten the breath.

NEW SPRING GOODS.

Are now coming in. We have all the newest and up-to-date patterns. Plaids in small figure will be worn much, and our stock is complete. The new styles in cutting tend to make the bottoms of pants smaller, the knee larger and sack coats will fit tight fitting. We'll make them right.

PRICES AS LOW AS ANY.**JNO. M. KNEFF**

Carpenter Bl'k, over Archie Reid & Co.

JOHN CUNNINGHAM, ATTORNEY.

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STORIES OF ALARM.

Rumors That Democrats Would Seize Kentucky Capitol.

Frankfort, Ky., March 14.—The general assembly of Kentucky ended the stormiest session in its history Thursday night. The day, on the whole, was one of high tension at the state capitol. Alarming stories were afoot, the most sensational of which was that democratic Gov. Beckham's forces would make a desperate effort to seize the capitol building and state records and install the democratic officials in the places filled by the republicans. Gov. Taylor was not disposed to believe there was any truth in it, but notified several companies of militia at Louisville, Newport and London to be in readiness to come to Frankfort at short notice. The democratic leaders denied that any such scheme was in contemplation. They said nothing of this kind would be attempted, at least not until after the gubernatorial case is decided by the state courts.

Louisville, Ky., March 14.—There seems to be no doubt that a warrant has been sworn out for the arrest of United States Senator Deboe. Senator Deboe is in Washington, and has been advised that he is wanted by the Franklin county authorities on the charge of having been one of the alleged conspirators in the killing of Goebel.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce Are Reported for The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market. (Corrected by P. H. Bump.)

FLOUR—Retail at \$0.60-\$1.00 per sack.
BEAN—Retail at 5¢-\$1.00 lbs.; \$1.00 per ton.
MIDDLEBINS—Retail at 10¢-\$1.00 lbs.; \$1.00 per ton.
FEED—Retail at 70¢-\$1.00 lbs.; \$1.00 per ton.

WHEAT—Fair to best grades, 50¢-\$2.00
BUCKWHEAT—\$1.00-\$1.25 per 100 lbs.
RYE—Higher, selling at 50¢-\$2.00.
BALRED—Lower, ranging at 30¢-\$1.00.
EAT CORN—Good demand, \$0.50-\$1.50 per ton.
OATS—Dull, receipt light, 25¢-\$2.00.
BEANS—\$1.00-\$1.25 per bushel.
CLOVER SEED—\$1.50-\$2.00 per 100 lbs.
TIMOTHY SEED—\$2.00-\$2.25 per 100 lbs.
BUTTER—25¢-\$1.00 per lb.
Eggs—15¢-\$1.00 per dozen.
HAM—Timothy Ham, \$0.50-\$1.00; [other] kinds \$1.00-\$2.00 per pound.
STRAW—\$1.00-\$2.00 per ton.
POTATOES—\$0.50-\$1.00 per bushel.
POULTRY—Chickens, dressed 75¢-\$1.00. Turkeys \$2.00.
WOOL—Washed, \$2.00-\$2.25; unwashed, \$1.50-\$2.00.
HIDES—Green, 5¢-\$1.00; dry, 75¢-\$1.00.
FEATHERS—Quanlity at 5¢-\$1.00.
CATTLE—\$3.00-\$5.00 per cwt.
HOGS—\$4.50-\$4.75 per cwt.

It is very hard to stand idly by and see our dear ones suffer while awaiting the arrival of the doctor. An Albany, (N. Y.) dairyman called at a drug store there for a doctor to come and see his child, then very sick with croup. Not finding the doctor in he left word for him to come at once on his return. He also bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which he hoped would give some relief until the doctor should arrive. In a few hours he returned, saying the doctor need not come as the child was much better. The druggist, Mr. Otto Sholz, says the family has since recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their neighbors and friends until he has a constant demand for it from that part of the country. For sale by Smith's Pharmacy, next to postoffice, Kodak agents.

Hypnotists to Testify.

Lexington, Neb., March 14.—A jury was secured Tuesday in the Dinsmore case, and the trial was started. A feature of the case is the presence here of Dr. J. J. Mound of Chicago, Dr. Robert Porter of Cincinnati and Dr. R. Ray Moffitt of New York, eminent experts on the subject of hypnotism. They were paid by the state to be present and lend their assistance in unravelling the strange tangle.

Mrs. Laue confessed that Dinsmore murdered his wife and her husband with her consent, and alleged that he hypnotized her. Mrs. Laue has been unable thus far to testify against Dinsmore. The moment she faces him the woman appears to go into a trance, out of which medical skill is required to bring her.

WORST KIND OF CASE

We Will Tell You if You Will Believe It.

The Experience of well Known People Ought Surely to be Convincing.

We ask you to read the following statement from a well-known citizen because she suffered from one of the worst kind of cases of backache and kidney disorders, and was cured by Morrow's Kid-n-o-oids. If you are in the least way troubled with a weak back or disordered kidneys, use Morrow's Kid-n-o-oids; they cure every time.

Mrs. T. S. Johnson, 831 Harrison street, Beloit, Wis., says: "I have been afflicted with kidney backache and other symptoms of disordered kidneys for some time past. I took different kinds of kidney remedies but they did not relieve me until I commenced to take Morrow's Kid-n-o-oids. The sample package gave me such great relief that I purchased a box of Kid-n-o-oids and I am being relieved of all my former troubles as rapidly as can be expected."

Morrow's Kid-n-o-oids are not pills but yellow tablets, and sell at fifty cents a box at all drug stores and a The People's Drug Store.

Mailed on receipt of price. Manufactured by John Morrow & Co., chemists, Springfield, Ohio.



BLOOD POISON.

In some cases the external signs of Contagious Blood Poison are so slight that the victim is firmly within the grasp of the monster before the true nature of the disease is known. In other cases the blood is quickly filled with this poisonous virus and the swollen glands, mucus patches in the mouth, sores on scalp, ulcers on tongue, sore throat, eruptions on skin, copper colored splotches, and falling hair and eyebrows leave no room for doubt, as these are all unmistakable signs of Contagious Blood Poison.

Doctors still prescribe mercury and potash as the only cure for Blood Poison. These poisonous minerals never yet made a complete and permanent cure of Contagious Blood Poison. They drive the disease back into the system, cover it up for a while, but it breaks out again in worse form. These powerful minerals produce mercurial rheumatism and the most offensive sores and ulcers, causing the joints to stiffen and finger nails to drop off. Mercury and potash make wrecks, not cures, and those who have been dosed with these drugs are never free from aches and pain.

S. S. acts in an entirely different manner, being a purely vegetable remedy; it forces the poison out of the system, and therefore the only cure for Contagious Blood Poison. No matter in what stage or how hopeless the case may appear, even though pronounced incurable by the doctors, S. S. S. can be relied upon to make a rapid, permanent cure. S. S. S. is not a new, untried remedy; an experience of nearly fifty years has proven it a sure and unfailing cure for this disease. It is the only purely vegetable blood medicine known.

Mr. H. L. Myers, 100 Mulberry St., Newark, N. J., says: "I was afflicted with a terrible blood disease, which was in spots at first, but afterwards spread all over my body. These soon broke out into sores, and it is easy to imagine the suffering I endured. Before I became convinced that the doctors could do me no good I had spent a hundred dollars, which was given to them. I tried various patent medicines, but they did not reach the disease. When I finished my last bottle of S. S. S. I was greatly improved, and was delighted with the result. The large, red splotches on my chest began to grow paler and smaller, and before long disappeared entirely. I regained my weight, became stronger, and my appetite improved. I was soon entirely well, and my skin as clear as a piece of glass."

Send for our Home Treatment Book, which contains valuable information about this disease, with complete directions for self treatment. Our medical department is in charge of physicians who have made a life-time study of blood diseases. Don't hesitate to write for any information or advice wanted. We make no charge whatever in the most sacred confidence. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC COMPANY, ATLANTA, GA.

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Note

I wish to announce that I have entered the employ of E. A. Taylor & Co. in the old brick building where I will continue my harness business and where I shall be glad to meet all my old customers. M. A. Ott.

A CARD

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

J. P. Baker, Geo. E. King & Co.,
E. B. Heimstreet, E. O. Smith & Co.,
Sequoia's Drug Co., E. F. Ranous & Co.,
Janesville, Wis.

THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE
Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been a general store a new preparation called GRAIN-O, which takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1/2 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

REPUBLICAN CITY CONVENTION.

The Republican City Convention will be held at the Council Chamber in the City of Janesville on Wednesday, March 21, 1900, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., to nominate candidates to be voted for at the ensuing municipal election and to elect a City Committee.

Nominations are to be made for the following offices:

City Treasurer, City Attorney,

School Commissioner-at-Large, Justice of the Peace.

The several wards will hold their caucuses on Tuesday, March 20, 1900, and elect delegates to said convention, as follows:

First ward, ten (10).
Second ward, six (6).
Third ward, ten (10).
Fourth ward, eight (8).
Fifth ward, four (4).

All caucuses will open at 7 o'clock p. m., and continue one hour as provided by law.

BURTON F. NOWLAN,
Chairman.

W. S. RICE, Secretary.

Dated March 5, 1900.

WARD CAUCUSES.

First Ward.

The First ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, and a Constable, and to elect ten (10) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the West Side Fire Station, in this city, on Tuesday, March 20, 1900, beginning at 7:00 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law.

Second Ward.

The Second ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, School Commissioner, and a Constable, and to elect six (6) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the East Side Fire Station, in this city, on Tuesday, March 20, 1900, beginning at 7:00 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law.

Third Ward Caucus.

The Third ward Republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, and a Constable, and to elect ten (10) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the polling booth on Court street, on Tuesday, March 20, 1900, beginning at 7:00 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law.

Fourth Ward Caucus.

The Fourth ward Republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, School Commissioner, and a Constable, and to elect eight (8) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the Council Chamber in the City of Janesville, on Tuesday, March 20, 1900, beginning at 7:00 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law.

Fifth Ward Caucus.

The Fifth ward Republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, and a Constable, and to elect four (4) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the Fifth ward polling booth, in this city, on Tuesday, March 20, 1900, beginning at 7:00 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law.

Girls, if you wish to be a June bride with red lips, laughing' eyes, a lovely complexion, take Rocky Mountain Tea this month. 35 cents. Smith's Pharmacy, Kodak Agents.

E. D. McGowan Attorney.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County—In Probate.

No suit is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court be held in and for said County at the Courthouse in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the Tuesday, being the 2d day of April, 1900, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The petition of James B. Van Alstine, to administer the estate of his late wife, Thomas Van Alstine, late of the town of Plymount, in said county, deceased.

Dated March 10, 1900.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE,
County Judge.

E. D. Metcalf, Atty. for petitioner.
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SPECIAL SALE OF
LACE . CURTAINS!

Thursday and Friday, March 15 & 16.

Our Lace Curtain stock is now complete, chiefly with the new—the very newest designs and materials. Every Curtain you will find interesting, not only because of newness and originality, but also because of the extreme reasonableness of the price.

For These Two Days We Shall Offer:

Curtains worth \$1.00 at	\$.67
Curtains worth 1.25 at	.89
Curtains worth 1.50 at	1.10
Curtains worth 2.00 at	1.35
Curtains worth 2.50 at	1.80
Curtains worth 3.00 at	2.25
Curtains worth 3.50 at	2.75
Curtains worth 4.00 at	3.25
Curtains worth 4.50 at	3.55
Curtains worth 5.00 at	4.15
Curtains worth 6.00 at	4.60
Curtains worth 6.50 at	5.65
Curtains worth 7.00 at	5.90
Curtains worth 7.50 at	6.25
Curtains worth 8.00 at	6.80
Curtains worth 8.50 at	7.25
Curtains worth 9.00 at	7.75
Curtains worth 10.00 at	8.25
Curtains worth 11.00 at	9.25
Curtains worth 12.50 at	10.50
Curtains worth 13.00 at	10.75
Curtains worth 16.00 at	12.50

Odd Curtains—We shall offer every odd Curtain and every single pair of Curtains at exactly one-half price, and we shall have a good line to show you. If you have use for one or two Curtains this will be your opportunity.

Sample Ends of Lace Curtains—About 200 agents' sample ends of Lace Curtains, each measuring from 4½ feet to 6 feet in length. Many of these ends are alike, enabling you to use them in furnishing your room with sash or short curtains. We have divided them into three lots, according to value, Lot No. 1 at 13c representing Curtains worth from 75c to \$1.25 per pair Lot No. 2 at 19c representing Curtains worth from \$1.50 to 2.25 per pair Let No. 3 at 29c representing Curtains worth from \$2.50 to 3.50 per pair It will be greatly to your advantage to anticipate your curtain wants and secure some of these great bargains Thursday and Friday next.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

Beautify Your Homes

MAKE THEM PLEASANT.

Nothing Does This So Cheaply as

Nice Wall Papers....

We are now in receipt of a large invoice of Fine Art Papers and Decorations. New spring styles for A. D. 1900.

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THE GREAT CLEARING SALE OF FURNITURE IS NOW IN PROGRESS

AT W. H. ASHCRAFT'S, 56 West Milwaukee street.

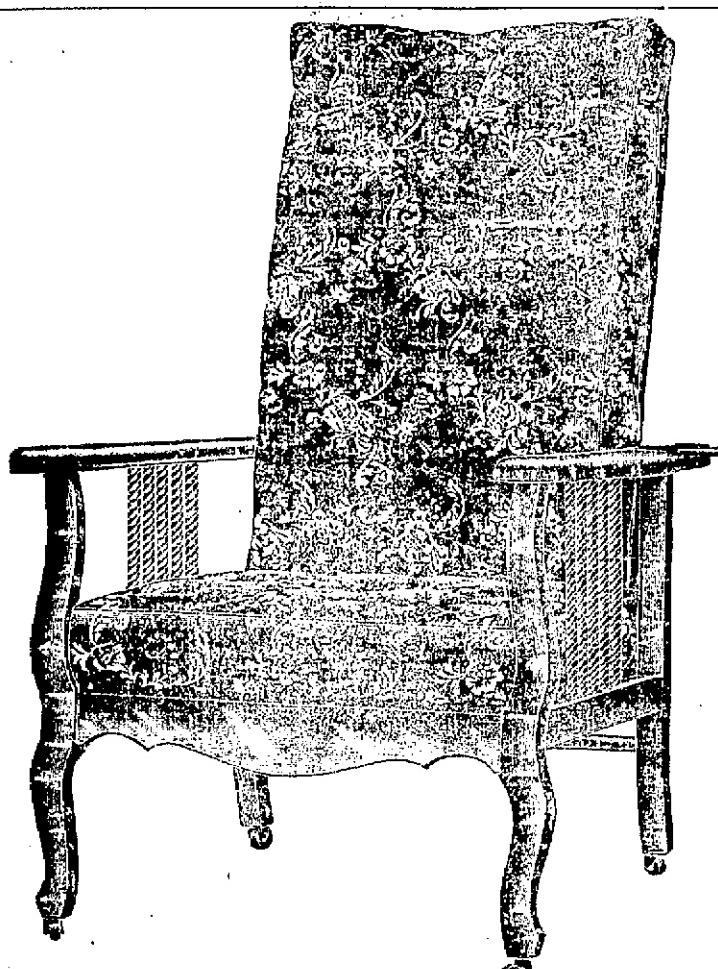
New goods every day, and prices at the very lowest. Bargains never before heard of. I have more goods than I have room for and must sell to allow goods now at the depots to be put in show rooms. In order to make rapid sales, prices have been greatly cut for the month of March.



The \$10 Oak Sideboards are all sold, but I have a few like cut,

solid oak, golden finish, swell drawers, arriving today.

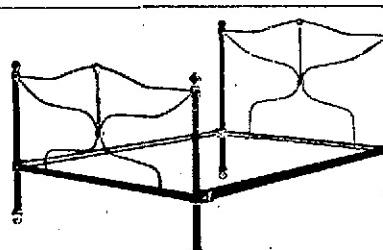
\$12 each.



I have but a few
MORRIS CHAIRS

unsold that I have been selling at

\$6.75



I have a large quantity of
IRON BEDS
(Like cut), any size at the extremely low price of
\$2.75 each.



Having bought a large number of
Center Tables
I will offer Tables like cut at
\$1.50 each.



If in need of a
BABY CARRIAGE
Call and see my line. During this month you will find the price much lower than any other place

DO NOT OVERLOOK THE FURNITURE POLISH I AM OFFERING AT . . . 25c BOTTLE

Remember what I tell you. I personally guarantee it the best Polish and Furniture Cleaner ever offered at any price. If it does not prove so or you are not satisfied, return it or let me know and I will gladly refund the money. I intend to have the best only.

FURNITURE.

W. H. ASHCRAFT.

UNDERTAKING.

SMALLPOX IN THE CAPITAL.
Indian with the Disease Meets with the Congressman.

Washington, March 14.—A feeling of panic reigned in the house corridors Tuesday when it was learned that a member of the Osage Indians, who have been here for several days, had smallpox. The Indians had made the room of the committee on Indian affairs their headquarters, and when Chairman Sherman was advised of the situation he bundled the whole lot outside and had them sent to the pesthouse. They were not all at the capitol at the time, and the police were at once set to work to round up the strutting visitors and get them off to the pesthouse. The necessary fumigation was made, and no serious results are feared from the exposure to contagion.

PLANT TO COST \$30,000,000.

Immense Steel and Iron Works to Be Built at Hamilton, Ont.

Cleveland, March 14.—The Wellman-Seaver Engineering company of this city has closed contract with the Nickel Steel company of Hamilton, Ont., to design and build what will, when completed, be the largest steel and iron plant in Canada, and one that will have few superiors in regard to size in the world. The total capacity of the plant will be 2,400 tons a day. In addition to the steel plant there will also be constructed a bloomery mill of the largest size, a billet mill, rail mill and two plate mills. The entire plant will cost nearly \$30,000,000.

Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, March 13.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the board of trade today:

Articles.	High.	Low.	Mar. 13.	Mar. 12.
Wheat—	\$65 1/2	\$65 1/2	\$65 1/2	\$66 1/2
May ..	\$65 1/2	\$65 1/2	\$65 1/2	\$66 1/2
July ..	\$67 1/2	\$65 1/2	\$66 1/2	\$67 1/2
Sept ..	\$67 1/2	\$67	\$67	\$67 1/2
Corn—				
May ..	\$38 1/2	\$37 1/2	\$37 1/2	\$38
July ..	\$38 1/2	\$37 1/2	\$37 1/2	\$38 1/2
Sept ..	\$38	\$38 1/2	\$38 1/2	\$38 1/2
Oats—				
May ..	24	23 1/2	23 1/2	24
July ..	23	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Pork—				
May ..	11.12 1/2	10.95	11.00	11.10
July ..	11.10	10.92 1/2	10.95	11.10
Lard—				
May ..	6.07 1/2	6.02 1/2	6.02 1/2	6.05
July ..	6.17 1/2	6.10	6.10	6.12 1/2
Sept ..	6.22 1/2	6.20	6.20
Short ribs—				
May ..	6.05	6.00	6.00	6.05
July ..	6.07 1/2	6.00	6.02 1/2	6.07 1/2

Turkish Women and Their Fortunes.
Turkish women do not come into control of their private fortunes until after marriage. After that they can dispose of one-third of it without the husband's consent.

AMOS REHBERG & CO.

Don't forget our Shoe Shop—constantly in motion.

A Lesson in Economy.

Monarch Catsup 18c
Finnan Haddies 10c
Full Cream Cheese 14c
Best Breakfast Bacon 10c
Gallon Apples 25c
Buckwheat, per sack 25c
Polk's best Corn 08c
Columbia River Red
4 lbs. Silver Prunes 25c
Salmon, 2 for 25c
Smoked White Fish 10c
Best Turkish Figs 15c

"Seek No Further" Flour 90c
(We guarantee it.)

"WE BUY THE BEST
AND SELL THE BEST."

FLETCHER BROS.

East Milwaukee Street.

SPRING STYLES!

Are arriving fast every day. Some elegantly designed foot covering for the coming season. They must be seen to be appreciated. We have never before seen a better assortment, and at exceedingly moderate prices.

Women's and Men's in tans and blacks, at \$3.00
Boys' Tans and Velour Calf, at \$2.00
Misses' and Children's, all colors, at \$1.25 to \$2.00

NOW is just the time to buy some of our fast diminishing stock of Winter footwear. The former prices have been cut $\frac{1}{2}$ and they are going readily. Come and take advantage of our closing out sale of this line.

Men's regular \$5.00 values now \$4.00
Men's and Women's \$4.00 values, now \$3.00
Men's and Women's \$3.00 values, now \$2.50

Rubbery weather just now. All kinds at honest prices. A splendid Boys' Rubber, all sizes, at 50c.

The Sick Wish To Get Well.

Some do get well, while others do not. Magnetic Healing will not always cure; people must die some time, but a great many go long before their time. The laws of Nature are broken and we call the result disease.

Magnetic Treatment

Complies with the laws of Nature and builds up the worn out tissues, and the result is a cure. Magnetism seems to chase away and bear off with it all that upsets the equilibrium of health. It produces harmony and equality.

The Remedies

This science prescribes are always safe, because its pharmacy is of God and rests on the bosom of Nature. There are no harmful drugs to relieve one part of the body and drive disease to some other part. The drugless cure, as demonstrated by Magnetic Healing, is the only natural and safe method.

CONSULTATION FREE.
Treatments, \$1.00 In Advance.

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